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5) Claim(s) is/are allowed.	,	
6)⊠ Claim(s) <u>6-9,26,27 and 32-34</u> is/are rejected.	•	
7) Claim(s) is/are objected to.		·
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DETAILED ACTION

The amendment and response filed 7/23/2007 are acknowledged. Claim 34 has been amended. Claims 6-9, 26, 27, 32-34 are pending and under current examination.

Unless otherwise indicated, previous rejections that have been rendered moot in view of the amendment to pending claims or persuasive arguments will not be reiterated. The arguments in 7/23/07 response would be addressed to the extent that they apply to current rejection.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112

The following is a quotation of the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112:

The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor of carrying out his invention.

Claims 6, 9 <u>stand</u> rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement. The claim(s) contains subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to reasonably convey to one skilled in the relevant art that the inventor(s), at the time the application was filed, had possession of the claimed invention.

In the remarks, the applicant first asserts,

In claim 6, the nucleic acid sequences encode peptides comprising an epitope of the VCA-p18 or VCA-p40 protein.

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In response, it is noted claim 6 as written, the nucleic acid sequence encodes a peptide that is immunochemically reactive with antibodies to VCA-18 or VCA-p40. Hence, the genus embraced by the claimed nucleic acids may encompass coding sequences for peptides comprising an epitope of the VCA-p18 or VCA-p40, but they are not limited by such coding sequence, rather the genus encompasses nucleic acid sequences encoding any protein as long as it is immunochemically reactive with antibodies to VCA-18 or VCA-p40, which include proteins having no clear relationship to VCA proteins. Claim 6 contains multiple phrases further limiting the antibodies, but not further limiting the peptide itself. The only limitation to the peptide is its immunochemical reactivity to the antibodies. One cannot extrapolate the structures of the protein genus from the immune reactivity.

Applicants then argues that the antibodies are further defined by particular hybridoma, and one of skill in the art further recognizes that monoclonal antibodies are specific to a single epitope and all of the antibodies produced from a single hybridoma are identical.

In response, it is noted that the antibodies are not limited by the recited hybridomas, but rather limited by the immunochemical reactivity: "are antibodies having the same reactivity with VCA-p18 as antibodies produced by the hybridoma...".

Even assuming arguendo claims are directed to peptides reactive with the antibodies produced by the recited hybridoma, the peptides encompass a genus of amino acid sequences, whose nucleic acid coding sequences are limited only by the fact that they contain a nucleotide, whose expression product has certain immune

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reactivity, while since there is no length limitation on the nucleic acid sequences, they could be a genomic sequence or a fusion protein sequence, or any other known or unknown nucleic acid sequences that happen to encode a protein reactive to the antibodies or contain sequences sharing homology with SEQ ID Nos: 1 and/or 3. Thus, even if the antibodies produced by the hybridoma have the same reactivity with VCA-18 or VCA-40, the proteins reactive to the antibodies may be structurally distinct. This could be seen in the example of the specification, where serum proteins reactive with applicant's antibody have different domain combinations, i.e structurally different (see e.g. table I of the specification).

Applicants then argue that the specification demonstrates actual reduction to practice of the nucleic acids of claim 6 as exemplified by peptides represented by various SEQ ID Nos: 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22.

In response, it is noted that majority of the numbered peptides are only a partial sequence of a protein, which each has an amino acid sequence distinct from the other. yet they all demonstrated immune reactivity with a VCA-p18 antibody. Among the 15 proteins listed in table I, only proteins from serum No. 9 and 10 have the same combination of domains I, II, & III, yet still it's unclear whether they have the same protein sequences in the remaining portion of the immune reactive protein. One skilled in the art could not extrapolate the full-length protein sequences from the disclosure of the partial sequences and their immune reactivity. Thus, working examples of the specification, especially table I further supports the Office position, the specification fails

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to provide an adequate description for the genus of the nucleic acid sequences encompassed by the claims.

An adequate written description for a genus of nucleic acid sequences encompassed by instant claims requires more than a mere statement that they are part of the invention, what is required is a description of the sequences themselves. The court has made it very clear "Conception of Chemical Compound Requires That Inventor BE ABLE TO DEFINE COMPOUND SO AS TO DISTINGUISH IT FROM OTHER MATERIALS, AND TO DESCRIBE HOW TO OBTAIN IT, RATHER THAN SIMPLY DEFINING IT SOLELY BY ITS PRINCIPAL BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY". Amgen Inc. v. Chugai Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd., 18 USPQ2d 1016 (Fed. Cir. 1991).

The Revised Interim Guidelines state "The Claimed Invention as a whole may not BE ADEQUATELY DESCRIBED IF THE CLAIMS REQUIRE AN ESSENTIAL OR CRITICAL ELEMENT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY DESCRIBED IN THE SPECIFICATION AND WHICH IS NOT CONVENTIONAL IN THE ART" (Column 3, page 71434), "When there is substantial variation within the Genus, one MUST DESCRIBE A SUFFICIENT VARIETY OF SPECIES TO REFLECT THE VARIATION WITHIN THE GENUS", "IN AN UNPREDICTABLE ART, ADEQUATE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF A GENUS WHICH EMBRACES WIDELY VARIANT SPECIES CANNOT BE ACHIEVED BY DISCLOSING ONLY ONE SPECIES WITHIN THE GENUS" (Column 2, page 71436).

Vas-Cath Inc. v. Mahurkar, 19USPQ2d 1111, clearly states that "APPLICANT MUST CONVEY WITH REASONABLE CLARITY TO THOSE SKILLED IN THE ART THAT, AS OF THE FILING DATE SOUGHT, HE OR SHE WAS IN POSSESSION OF THE INVENTION. THE INVENTION IS, FOR PURPOSES OF THE 'WRITTEN DESCRIPTION' INQUIRY, WHATEVER IS NOW CLAIMED." (See page 1117.) The

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specification does not "clearly allow persons of ordinary skill in the art to recognize that [he or she] invented what is claimed." (See *Vas-Cath* at page 1116).

One cannot describe what one has not conceived. See Fiddes v. Baird, 30 USPQ2d 1481, 1483. In Fiddes, claims directed to mammalian FGF's were found to be unpatentable due to lack of written description for that broad class. The specification provided only the bovine sequence.

In view of these considerations, a skilled artisan would not have viewed the teachings of the specification as sufficient to show that the applicant was in possession of the claimed invention commensurate to its scope because it does not provide adequate written description for the genus sequences encompassed by the claims. Therefore, for reasons of record and set forth *supra*, the rejection stands.

Claims 6, 9 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the enablement requirement. The claim(s) contains subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to enable one skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and/or use the invention, for reasons of record and set forth *supra*.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless -

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(b) the invention was patented or described in a printed publication in this or a foreign country or in public use or on sale in this country, more than one year prior to the date of application for patent in the United States.

Claims 6-9, 26, 27, 32-34 <u>stand</u> rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by *Laux et al.* (The EMBO J 1988;7:769-74).

Laux et al. teaches a nucleic acid sequence comprising a subsequence of instant SEQ ID No: 1 (residues 1-535 of SEQ ID No: 1), which encodes at least 12 contiguous amino acids of EBV VCA-p18 (the amino acid sequence SEQ No: 5), which would be immunochemically reactive with antibodies to the EBV VCA-p18. Laux et al. also teaches a nucleic acid sequence comprising instant SEQ ID No: 3, which encodes 12 contiguous amino acids of an EBV VCA-40. Laux et al. discloses a vector comprising the sequences (e.g. fig. 1). Accordingly, Laux et al. anticipates instant claims.

In the remarks, the applicant asserts that multiple alignments were performed and homology as stated in the Office action was not found.

In response, the printed copy of the database search result is hereby enclosed, which contains the details of the alignment.

Claims 6-9, 26, 27, 32-34 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by *Bankier et al.* (Mol Biol Med 1983;1:425-445).

Bankier et al. teaches a nucleic acid sequence comprising a subsequence of instant SEQ ID No: 1 (residues 1-535 of SEQ ID No: 1), which encodes at least 12 contiguous amino acids of EBV VCA-p18 (the amino acid sequence SEQ No: 5), which would be immunochemically reactive with antibodies to the EBV VCA-p18. Bankier et al. also teaches a nucleic acid sequence comprising a sequence that shares 98.8%

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homology with instant SEQ ID No: 3 (subsequence thereof), which encodes 12 contiguous amino acids of an EBV VCA-40. *Bankier et al.* discloses that the sequences were cloned in a vector (e.g. figs. 1-3). Accordingly, *Bankier et al.* anticipates instant claims.

In the remarks, the applicant asserts that multiple alignments were performed and homology as stated in the Office action was not found.

In response, the printed copy of the database search result is hereby enclosed, which contains details of the alignment.

No claim is allowed.

THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL. Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this final action is set to expire THREE MONTHS from the mailing date of this action. In the event a first reply is filed within TWO MONTHS of the mailing date of this final action and the advisory action is not mailed until after the end of the THREE-MONTH shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed, and any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than SIX MONTHS from the mailing date of this final action.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to **Q. Janice Li** whose telephone number is **571-272-0730**. The examiner can normally be reached on 9:30 am - 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, except every other Wednesday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, **Joseph Woitach** can be reached on **571-272-0739**. The **fax** numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are **571-273-8300**.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to (571) 272-0547. For all other customer support, please call the USPTO Call Center (UCC) at **800-786-9199**.

Q. JANICE LI, M.D. PRIMARY/EXAMINER

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            Listed under this feature are all known protein coding regions as
            well as all the major open reading frames in the sequence. In
            general the term major is taken as the longest frame in a
            particular region taking into account the adjacent longest frames
            and likely transcription signals. Note that on this basis some long
            overlapping frames have been excluded and on the other hand some
            small frames have been included which might represent exons or
            genes because they occur in a logical combination with other
            features or because of some other experimental data. The reading
            frames are named according to the Bam H1 fragment in which they
            start. eg BALF3 is the third leftward frame starting in Bam H1
            fragment A. BORF1 is the first rightward frame in Bam H1 fragment
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            purine at -3 and/or a G at +4 then the reading frame is numbered
            from the A of the ATG to the base preceding the termination codon.
            If there is no obvious initiation codon or there is a substantial
            reading frame in phase before the ATG then the reading frame is
            numbered from the first base of the first codon.
            SITEs of POLYA signals
            This feature lists all occurences of the sequence AATAAA which is
            found normally approximately 20 bases upstream of the mRNA
            processing/polyA addition site. The rarely used homolog ATTAAA is
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major reading frame.

only listed when it is found in a position close to the end of a

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SITEs of DONOR and ACCEPT sequences
            This is not a comprehensive listing of all such sequences and only
            the positions of a few have been noted because they occur in
            potentially interesting positions. The number quoted in the table
            is the position of the terminal base in the intron in each case.
            Restriction enzyme SITEs.
            Only the positions of the sites Bam HI (BAM) are listed. RPT
            This feature is used to define repetitive sequences. SITE DEL
            This feature defines deletions in B95-8 with respect to other
            strains such as RAJI and also to deletions in other strains such as
            P3HR1 and DAUDI with respect to B95-8.
           Denotes sequences with twofold symmetry ie could form hairpin
           loops. This is not a comprehensive list - only a few occurences
           noted.
           ORGRPL
            Denotes the region that encompasses an origin of replication (ori
           P).[13].
           NUMBERING
           The DNA sequence of B95-8 EBV has been revised [19]. The original
            (Baer et al, 1984) base 359 has been deleted so the new sequence
           around that position reads TCAGTCTTT. To avoid renumbering the
           entire sequence, position 1 has benn moved 1 base to the left of
           the EcoRI site separating EcoRI Dhet from EcoRI I
            (ie the first A of AGAATTC).
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COMMENT
            Construction:
            This sequence was assembled from B95-8 EBV [14] and Raji EBV [18]
            with sequence corrections [16, 19]. The number of major internal
            repeat units has been reduced from 11.6 [14] to a more typical 7.6
            and the B95-8 deletion sequences have been restored to give a
            sequence more representative of wild type EBV.
            Like the modified B95-8 sequence[14, 16] accession number V01555,
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